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CARL M. ELLISON, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/540,946

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For: Managing a Secure Environment Using

Hierarchical Executive Architecture in Isolated Execution Mode (Amended)

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the above-identified Patent Application as follows:

#### IN THE TITLE

Please delete the title and insert the following in lieu thereof –Managing a Secure Environment Using a Hierarchical Executive Architecture in Isolated Execution Mode-

#### REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is filed prior to initial review of the Application.

Applicant respectfully requests examination of all pending claims.

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